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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

DONNELLY et al.

Serial No.: 10/649,286

Filed: August 26, 2003

Atty. File No.: 5107-3-CIP

For: "METHOD FOR MONITORING
AND CONTROLLING TRACTION
MOTORS IN LOCOMOTIVES"

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys, respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of one (1) month to respond to the Office Action mailed on December 6, 2004, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from March 6, 2005, to April 6, 2005.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$60.00 as payment for the extension fee. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

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